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## STOCKPILE ACCEPTS FERROMANGANESE OFFERS

Fort Belvoir, VA - The Defense National Stockpile Center today announced the award of 9,000 short tons of high carbon ferromanganese under DLA-FERROMANGANESE-003. Awards were made to the Following Companies:

Hickman Williams & Co. Westbrook Resources Wexford, PA Sheffield, England

Ispat Inland Inc Advanced Alloys East Chicago, IN Pensacola, FL

The awarded material has a provisional estimated market value of \$3 million.

This sale exhausts the Fiscal Year 2003 AMP authority of 25,000 short tons.

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